

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of: David Pincus

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For: Programmable Asset Mount for

Gathering of Utilization Information

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Group Art Unit: 2685

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 14, 2004

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on October 14, 2004. Based on the arguments presented in this response, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application, as discussed in greater detail below.

Additionally, Applicant has added new claims 34-42 by the present Response. These new claims include two new independent claims 34 and 42 and seven new dependent claims 35-41. Accordingly, because the Applicant has previously paid for three independent claims and twelve dependent claims, no additional fees are believed to be required in the present response. However, if additional fees are required, Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge the appropriate fee for any extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-2402; Order No. 15-SV-5655 (GEMS:0111/YOD).